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Foreign Minister Bonilla called in DCM this morning for further discussion reported Brazilian initiative declare Latin American area denuclearized zone. Understands draft included reference telegram not yet presented UN but Brazilian delegation continuing efforts generate support. Dominican Republic reported number Latin American representatives reacting favorably and that US AEC representative appeared sympathetic.

Foreign Minister restated understanding Brazilian proposal as including renunciation by nuclear powers use thermonuclear weapons Latin American area, agreement Latin American countries not manufacture, store, or transport nuclear weapons their respective territories, Latin American agreement international inspection and verification to guarantee compliance.

In strongest terms, Foreign Minister expressed complete opposition Dominican Republic any such agreement.

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Circular referred to Department telegram 527 not received.
Would appreciate statement US position.

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